Building Report | Life Sciences Façade & Addition

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The following are pictures from the weeks of Dec. 25, 2017 - Jan. 5, 2018 in regards to the Life Sciences Building Façade Improvements and Addition Project. The extreme cold has caused another weather delay in the schedule, nonetheless the contractors are pushing forward and finishing as much work as possible inside the existing building until the addition is weather-tight. Tentatively, the roof for the addition is scheduled for installation next week, but with the potential of some rain/freezing rain in the forecast it might again be delayed. However, there has still been some good progress made with this project. Some more of the new exterior metal panels have been installed on the north wing and part of the addition. Also, more metal framing and gypsum board have been installed where the addition and existing building connect.



The top-left photo shows the progress of the installation of the new corrugated metal veneer panels on the north wall of the addition and existing building.

The top-right photo shows the installation of the new ceiling grid in the area of the existing building where we are extending the lower ceiling up to the addition. This was done so we could conceal the new ductwork connection for the addition. The middle-right photo shows the construction of the bulkhead that will now separate this lower ceiling area from the existing higher ceiling outside of the lecture hall in the existing building.

The bottom-right photo highlights the progress of the construction of the new wall separating the addition from the existing northwest classroom. The wall is now boarded, prepped, and awaiting primer and paint.

The bottom-left photo shows the contractors installing the new metal panel veneer on the existing canopy at the southeast entrance.



